Docket No.: 71247-0036



As a below named inventor, I declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first, and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DETECTING SURFACE DEFECTS ON THE NECK RING OF A TRANSPARENT OR T	RANSLUCENT
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